

Miller & Rhoads

BROAD STREET—TWO ENTRANCES—SIXTH STREET.

Wedding Presents For May and June Brides

Bric-a-Brac, Lamps, Cut Glass,
Silverware, Fine China, &c.

Shall the present be of Cut Glass?

If so, there's an assortment of new, rich patterns in our Cut Glass Department that for value have no equals at the prices.

Some sample pieces as follows:

Olive Dishes, Pickle Dishes and Bon Bon Dishes, \$2.50, \$3.25, and \$3.69 each.
8-inch Bowls, deep cutting, \$5.00.
Tumblers, \$5.50 dozen.

Possibly Silverware might be more appropriate—the quadruple plated ware that we carry consisting of the leading makes of America.

The Oneda Community, World's Brand, Rogers 1847, etc. Ice-Cream Sets, six spoons and hollow handle knife, \$4.25.
Cream Sets, consisting of butter knife, sugar spoon and cream ladle—\$1.98.
Cold Meat Forks, solid sterling silver handles, gold finished prongs, \$3.25 each.
Fern Dishes, handsomely engraved, \$3.25, \$4.00 and upwards.
Your choice of Burnished, Oxidized or Gray finish in this Silverware.

Among the beautiful pieces of Bric-a-Brac are some Royal Bonn and Vienna Vases—an especially pretty one among the latter make being \$6.50;

May Manton Patterns 10c. each, on sale in Trimming Department.

richly decorated and gold traced.

There's a choice collection of Metal Lamps and bent glass Shades—the Lamps ranging in price from \$8.00 to \$12.00 and the Shades from \$8.00 to \$10.98; the sizes running from 14 to 18 inches. All colors in glass with fringed head borders.

We purchased a few days ago a lot of French China Salad Bowls to sell at less than the cost of importation.

They are samples from which thousands of dollars worth of goods have been sold.

No two alike—all beautiful pieces of French pottery, mostly hand-painted; all richly decorated, traced and stippled with gold.

There's nothing we have in the store will make a more suitable wedding present, and certainly nothing at more economical prices. A few of the values and prices as follows:

\$3.50 Bowls for..... \$2.00
\$5.00 Bowls for..... \$3.00
\$8.00 Bowls for..... \$3.50

BRIGHT YOUNG MEN REWARDED

The Closing Exercises at the
Mechanics' Institute.

MEDALS AND DIPLOMAS

These Are Received in the
Presence of a Large
Crowd.

The commencement exercises of the Mechanics' Institute were held in the auditorium of the building last night before an audience composed of ladies and gentlemen interested in the prosperity of this splendid school.

The session has been a most prosperous and profitable one, and the affairs of the institution are in fine shape.

Many of the drawings and models made by the students were on exhibition, in the basement, and they reflected great credit upon the students.

A most interesting programme was carried out, and when the diplomas and medals were awarded to the successful competitors there were demonstrations of approval by their friends.

The Lumber medal, offered by Mr. Henry S. Hutzler, was presented to Hiram Walker for the greatest proficiency in electricity. Hon. S. S. P. Patterson made the presentation speech.

The Chawning medal for achievement in the modeling class went to Gilbert L. Hayner, and was presented by Dr. William E. Evans.

The list of those receiving honors and diplomas follows:

Arithmetic: Class A, First Honor—George B. Hooper. Honorable mention—Charles M. Smith.

Class B, First Division—First Honor—Gus Miller. Honorable mention—Bennie Stutz, J. L. Vachon.

Class B, Second Division—First Honor—William Antonio. Honorable mention—Lewis Antonio.

Class B, Third Division—First Honor—William Newcome. Honorable mention—David Dreyer.

Class C, First Division—First Honor—William H. Bell. Honorable mention—John A. Udyet.

Class C, Second Division—First Honor—Claude G. Shotwell. Honorable mention—Edwin D. Pearson.

Class D, First Honor—G. C. Fitzgerald. Honorable mention—William E. Griggs.

Class E, First Honor—Charles E. Redford. Honorable mention—Julius Hulcher.

Algebra: Class A, First Honor—Thomas Dreyer, Jr. Honorable mention—John A. Mosley.

Class B, First Honor—Louis E. Parsons. Honorable mention—Charles M. Blakowski, Jr., Thomas A. Murphy.

Geometry: Class A, First Honor—Thomas Dreyer, Jr. Honorable mention—Charles M. Blakowski, Jr.

Trigonometry: First Honor—Charles M. Blakowski, Jr. Honorable mention—Hiram Walker.

Descriptive Geometry: First Honor—J. A. Udyet.

Analytical Geometry: First Honor—J. A. Udyet.

Differential Calculus: First Honor—F. H. Twining.

Bookkeeping: Class A, First Honor—Irving Greenberg. Honorable mention—Aylett M. Goode.

Class B, First Honor and Diploma—J. M. Newell. Diploma—Veron C. Austin.

Free Hand Drawing from Cast: First Honor—Robert E. Bruce, Jr. Second Honor—B. Bradley. George R. Whitlock. Greatest improvement during session—First Honor—First Honor—Walter Hubbard. Second Honor—Landon C. Wellford. Honorable mention—Landon C. Wellford.

Second Section—First Honor—T. B. Saunders. Second Honor—Leonard Kesterson. Greatest improvement during session—Bennie Cady.

Architectural Drawing: Class A, First Honor—George Blakowski. Honorable mention—Bennie Cady.

Architectural Drawing: Class B, First Honor—Charles Haywood. Honorable mention—Bennie Cady.

Mechanical Drawing: Class A, First Division—First Honor—F. H. Twining. Honorable mention—Traversa Daniel, Jr.

Class A, Second Division—First Honor—G. M. Fleicher. Honorable mention—Thomas Dreyer, Jr. Honorable mention—M. L. Berger, Louis Frank.

Physics: First Honor—L. E. King. Honorable mention—Charles L. Ross. Honorable mention—Charles L. Ross. Honorable mention—E. L. Jones, L. D. Stone, V. S. Dickinson.

Chemistry: First Honor—J. C. Newlon. Honorable mention—H. E. Brittle, J. H. Sims. Graduate—James R. O'Neal.

Wren, Jr. Honorable mention—Arthur Kendall. Class B, First Honor—G. Edmund Masie. Honorable mention—B. Allen Bryant.

Modeling: First Honor—Gilbert L. Hayner. Honorable mention—B. Allen Bryant.

Pattern Making: First Honor—George W. Hubbard. Honorable mention—W. T. Davidson, B. L. Smith.

Return of Delegates.

Messrs. Abe Cohn and J. C. Meyer have returned from Baltimore, where they went to attend the meeting of the O. B. A. The delegates say they were never before entertained so highly as by their Baltimore brethren.

The next convention will be held at Providence, R. I.

SAW-MILL TRAGEDY.

Randall Vincent Shot to Death by Fellow-Workman.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

THURSDAY, MAY 17.—Randall Vincent, a negro sawyer at Wilkins and Chatham's mill, in Northampton county, three miles from here, was fatally shot Sunday night by William Hicks, another negro sawyer. The pistol with which Vincent was shot was handed him by Hicks, who was fatally shot Sunday night by William Hicks, another negro sawyer. The pistol with which Vincent was shot was handed him by Hicks, who was fatally shot Sunday night by William Hicks, another negro sawyer.

A reward of \$50 is offered for the arrest of William Hicks, a young mulatto, with full face, 11½ accomplished, Brewer, is already arrested.

Your Life Current.

The power that gives you life and motion is the nerve force, or nerve fluid, located in the nerve cells of the brain, and sent out through the nerves to the various organs.

If you are tired, nervous, irritable, cannot sleep; have headache, feel stuffy, dull and melancholy, or have neuralgia, rheumatism, backache, periodical pains, indigestion, dyspepsia, stomach trouble, or the kidneys and liver are inactive, your life-current is weak.

Power-producing fuel is needed; something to increase nerve energy—strengthen the nerves.

Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine is the fuel you need. It feeds the nerves, produces nerve force, and restores vitality.

"When I began taking Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine and Anti-Pain Pills I was confined to my bed. I had severe nervous spells, the result of two years' illness with malaria. I gradually grew so weak that I was unable to sit up. The spells would come on with cold chills. I would come and almost helpless. My circulation was poor. I had doctored right along but grew weaker and weaker. The Nervine seemed to strengthen me right away and my circulation was better. I took all seven bottles of the Nervine, and I am entirely well."

ROSA E. WEAVER, Stua, Ia.

Dr. Miles' Nervine is sold by your druggist. Who will guarantee that the first bottle will benefit. If it fails, he will refund your money.

Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

HANDSOME PICTURES IN THE ART EXHIBIT

Mrs. Chas. V. Meredith served tea yesterday at No. 11 W. Main Street, where the exhibit of the Richmond Art Club is being held and where many visitors called to enjoy a view of the pictures and to engage in social converse with their friends.

Young ladies assisting Mrs. Meredith were: Miss Nannie Dunlop, Miss Bernard Cooke, Miss Nellie Hoyle and Miss Kate Meredith. This afternoon the Misses Davenport and Miss Nora Leary will be the hostesses at 5 o'clock tea and will be pleased to see their friends.

George Inness, Jr., a young American artist, who has a wonderful reputation, has two pictures at the exhibit "Following the Plow" and "The Anxious Moment." Both of these canvases are admired by the Richmond public and it is thought that Mr. Inness will find a Richmond purchaser for one of them.

Reuben Shilkeff, a noted, hung midwifery of the long salon, is presented with all the skill in coloring and the play of light and shadow that render Mr. Shilkeff's paintings so truly remarkable and so very attractive to the eye.

Mr. Elliott Dainfield's "Twilight Calm" must be recognized at once, so truly characteristic is it of the artist's style. "Gold From May Garden," done by the same artist, is a perfect rift of the richest sun-kissed autumn shades, and is a study in color, and a study in the whole and ready conception of a beauty-lover in Nature.

But the pictures have not yet arrived, but they are daily expected and space has been reserved for them. "The Green Calash," by Miss Hale, of Washington, has been, perhaps, much remarked on as anything in the exhibit, the tone and treatment giving it instant prominence.

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SWEET FLOWERS FOR NOBLE DEAD

Impressive Ceremonies at the
Hebrew Cemetery Yesterday Afternoon.

HEROISM WARMLY PRAISED

Mr. Eggleston Delivers Address
Commending Valor of
Hebrew Soldiers.

Memorial exercises held at the Hebrew Cemetery yesterday evening were appropriate and touching and were largely attended.

Leo Camp veterans attended as did two companies of the Seventeenth Regiment.

The exercises were under the auspices of the Hebrew Memorial Association. The choir of Beth Abuhah Temple furnished the music and prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. E. N. Calhoun.

The oration was delivered by Mr. John S. Eggleston, assistant to the Attorney-General of the State and it was warmly received.

Mr. Joseph L. Levy presided and introduced the speaker. Mr. Levy was especially complimentary in his allusions to Mr. Eggleston, who spoke in part as follows:

"I have said the Jews of the South nobly responded to the call to arms. That honored Rabbi, Rev. Mr. Michelbacher, of this city, applied to the Adjutant and Inspector-General of the Confederacy, with the request that, if possible, the Jewish soldiers be granted a short leave of absence so that they might observe two of the Jewish holy days."

General Cooper stated that he would gladly grant the furlough, if it were practical; but, in his estimation, there were between ten and twelve thousand Jewish soldiers in the Confederate army, and, therefore, to grant the request would practically disintegrate certain commands.

Well Represented.

It is stated on good authority as being hardly probable that there were more than 150,000 Jews in the whole United States when hostilities began. So that, in all probability, the proportion of Jewish soldiers in the Confederate army was larger than that of any other faith.

I have referred to the fact that the great Judah P. Benjamin, Secretary of War in the Confederate Cabinet, was a Jew. Twenty-four staff officers in the Confederate army and eleven officers in the Confederate navy were Jews.

General David de Leon, the first surgeon-general of the Confederate army, was a Jew. In the Mexican War, he twice took the place of commanding officers, who had been killed or wounded, and acted with such gallantry and ability as to twice receive the thanks of the Congress of the United States. In February, 1861, he resigned his rank as surgeon and major in the United States army, and was appointed surgeon-general of the Confederate army.

Gave Friendly Shelter.

Sir Moses Ezekiel, the distinguished sculptor, served with the cadets of the Virginia Military Institute, in the war between the States. It has been only a short time since he erected to these cadets a monument made by his hands. It was upon the site of the old Confederate institute in the beautiful town of Lexington.

It has been stated that a Jew gave the friendly shelter to the fleeing President and Cabinet of the fallen Confederacy. "But, while we mourn to-day at the graves of heroes, let us, in the spirit of the peerless Robert Lee—who loved, and was loved, by all his fellowmen—have no sectional prejudices, but only an enduring love for our reunited country."

Jewish patriots contributed more than their proportionate share to the success of the Revolution. For the cause of Independence, they lavished their blood and wealth.

"To-day, men of your race are numbered among the noblest philanthropists and leading citizens of our nation. They are grateful for this great land of freedom. May its influence radiate to the uttermost parts of the earth, bringing freedom to all the sons of men—ill the whole world be bound by gold chains about the feet of God."

Leaf Tobacco Market.

Biggest Day the Exchange Has Seen in Years.

There was animation and great activity on the tobacco market yesterday. There were no sales of leaf on the warehouse floors and the exchange had it all its own way. One hundred and eleven packages, great and mostly small, were sampled, and with much of the stock better than any sun-cured stock for sale in the city. The bidding was in full force, the bidding was lively from the time the first sample was thrown on the floor to the last package was sold out.

Silas Shuburne & Son, of Shuburne's warehouse, sold a crop of 5,000 pounds of sun-cured leaf of Carolina county, for prices that created enthusiasm among the buyers as well as sellers. One package of sun-cured leaf from the same county was sold to W. T. Hancock for the Rick-Whitten Company for \$6. Other prices were bought by the same concern at \$6, \$5.97, \$5.93, and \$5.90. Other packages of the crop went to various buyers at from \$11 down to \$5.25. The whole crop averaged \$5.97.

W. D. Butler & Co., also got some fancy prices for the crop of E. C. Beckley, of Louisa county, such as \$6.32 and \$6.42.

All wrappers are selling high, while good fillers are bringing from \$5.50 to \$6.00. And medium grades are holding stiff at former quotations.

T. B. Yung, of New York, and H. A. Walker, of Danville, both of the American Tobacco Company's leaf buying department, were on the market as speculators yesterday.

Have Reunion.

Survivors of Fifteenth Virginia to Meet at Westhampton.

Survivors of the Fifteenth Virginia Regiment have sent out the following notice regarding their approaching reunion:

Dear Comrade:

At a meeting of the executive committee of the Fifteenth Virginia Infantry Regiment, held at Murphy's Hotel May 12th, Westhampton was selected as the place of reunion to celebrate our forty-fourth anniversary, on the 24th day of May next.

The committee requests the co-operation of all comrades, and earnestly trusts every survivor will be present. For many years we shall all be old men, and we may not meet again. We may bring your lady friends with you. We will have a large dinner at 10 o'clock A. M. for Westhampton, and those unable to go out at that hour can go later. Refreshments will be served at 1 o'clock.

(Signed) J. S. MOORE, Chairman.

A. M. LYON, Secretary.

CHAS. BUKHAR, Secretary.

V. B. SMITH, Secretary.

A. J. WRAY, Committee.

Offers Fifty Dollars Reward.

Major Werner has received a letter from City Sergeant J. W. Taylor, of Winchester, asking him to look out for a man who hired a team and drove off on May 12th, and then disappeared with it. The man is described as well-dressed, smooth face, about twenty-five years old, and about five feet eight inches in height. A reward of \$50 is offered.

SMALL consumption of ice.

MAXIMUM amount of
cold, dry air.

ABSOLUTELY sani-
tary provision
chamber.

SIMPLICITY of opera-
tion.

PRESERVATIVE of
food.

All the above features are necessary in a satisfactory Refrigerator, and the Alaska has them. We can vouch for that, because we've sold the

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Chair, in red or green, with woven
rattan seats and backs, something
strong and substantial, for.....

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FOR
CATALOGUES

FEDERAL COURT ADJOURNS TO-DAY

Judges in Conference Late Last
Night to Complete
Work.

WILL CONVEY NEXT WEEK

Important Cases Will be
Handled at Asheville.

The Judges of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals were in conference session late last night up to the disposition of cases argued this week. As the court will close its session here to-day, it has been very much pushed with work and conferences in order to get through.

There will be another session of the court beginning next Wednesday at Asheville, N. C., which will last about ten days or two weeks, at which place several important cases are to be argued. The following proceedings were had yesterday, before Circuit Judges Goff and Pritchard and District Judges Morris and Purnell, sitting alternately.

No. 596. Merchants' and Miners' Transportation Company, appellant, vs. steam ferryboat "City of Portsmouth," appellee; appeal from the District Court at Norfolk, Va. Continued from Tuesday, further argued by Floyd Hughes, of Norfolk, Va., for the appellee, and by Robert M. Hughes, of Norfolk, Va., for the appellant, and submitted.

No. 605. Bargo "City of San Antonio," appellant, vs. Andrew Williams, appellee; appeal from the District Court at Norfolk, Va. Argued by T. A. Williams, of Norfolk, Va., for the appellant, and by Edward R. Baird, Jr., of Norfolk, Va., for the appellee, and submitted. Mr. T. A. Williams, of Norfolk, Va., was admitted to practice in this court.

The following case, which is the last on the docket, will be in the call to-day: No. 600. Frank W. Guy et al., appellants, vs. John A. Donald, appellee; appeal from the District Court at Norfolk, Va. To be argued by Dr. Tucker Brooke, of Norfolk, Va., and R. C. Marshall, of Portsmouth, Va., for the appellants, and by Robert M. Hughes, of Norfolk, Va., for the appellee.

The court will meet at 10 o'clock.

Hull—Burgess.

A quiet home wedding was celebrated Tuesday at 10:30 A. M. at the residence of the bride's grandfather, Mr. R. L. Butler, No. 214 East Marshall Street, when Miss Mary Frances Burgess became the wife of Mr. Amos Tyler Hull, the Rev. Dr. Bagby officiating.

The bride, a petite, pretty brunette, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Burgess, of Hampton, Va., and is a very charming girl. Mr. Hull is a prominent young business man, of Hampton, and owner of a drug store in that city.

After a two weeks' bridal tour North, Mr. and Mrs. Hull will be at home to their friends in Hampton.

Makes Commencement Address.

Dr. W. L. Poushion, of Richmond College, returned